

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Sherry Ainsworth, et al.

v.


04-cv-116-SM

Charles M. Souza, et al.

ORDER

Re: Document No. 10, Motion for Approval of Minor's Request
for Access to Settlement Funds

Ruling: Granted. In effect, the plaintiff, through her mother and next friend, seeks to amend the terms of settlement previously approved by the court by diverting a modest sum designated for plastic surgery to cover educational trip expenses for the minor student. Plaintiff claims the minor has decided not to pursue the plastic surgery, presumably with parental concurrence. Opposing counsel "takes no position," which the court takes to mean the payor of the settlement amount specifically designated for plastic surgery has no objection to applying those funds to a different purpose benefitting the plaintiff. Given these circumstances, the motion is granted.


Steven J. McAuliffe
Chief District Judge

Date: January 25, 2007

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